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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is a submission accompanying the filing of a RCE request in response to the Office Action dated March 14, 2005.

Please cancel claims 8-14, 17, and 19-22.

Please amend claims 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 15, and 16 as follows.